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# UTILITY PATENT APPLICATION TRANSMITTAL

(Only for new nonprovisional applications under 37 C.F.R. § 1.53(b))

Attorney Docket No. 28,452-A

First Inventor or Application Identifier Grace Spears

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## APPLICATION ELEMENTS

See MPEP chapter 600 concerning utility patent application contents.

1. ☒ Fee Transmittal Form (e.g., PTO/SB/17)  
(Submit an original and a duplicate for fee processing)
2. ☒ Specification [Total Pages 9]  
(preferred arrangement set forth below)
  - Descriptive title of the invention
  - Cross References to Related Applications
  - Statement Regarding Fed sponsored R & D
  - Reference to Microfiche Appendix
  - Background of the invention
  - Brief Summary of the invention
  - Brief Description of the Drawings (if filed)
  - Detailed Description
  - Claim(s)
  - Abstract of the Disclosure
3. ☒ Drawing(s) (35 U.S.C. 113) [Total Sheets 2]
4. Oath or Declaration [Total Pages 2]
  - a. ☒ Newly executed (original or copy)
  - b. ☐ Copy from a prior application (37 C.F.R. § 1.63(d))  
(for continuation/divisional with Box 16 completed)
    - i. ☐ DELETION OF INVENTOR(S)  
Signed statement attached deleting  
inventor(s) named in the prior application,  
see 37 C.F.R. §§ 1.63(d)(2) and 1.33(b).

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5. ☐ Microfiche Computer Program (Appendix)
6. Nucleotide and/or Amino Acid Sequence Submission  
(If applicable, all necessary)
  - a. ☐ Computer Readable Copy
  - b. ☐ Paper Copy (Identical to computer copy)
  - c. ☐ Statement verifying identity of above copies

## ACCOMPANYING APPLICATION PARTS

7. ☐ Assignment Papers (cover sheet & document(s))
8. ☐ 37 C.F.R. § 3.73(b) Statement of Power of Attorney  
(when there is an assignee)
9. ☐ English Translation Document (if applicable)
10. ☐ Information Disclosure Statement (IDS/PTO-1449) [Copies of IDS Citations]
11. ☐ Preliminary Amendment
12. ☒ Return Receipt Postcard (MPEP 503)  
(Should be specifically itemized)
  - \* Small Entity Statement(s) filed in prior application, Status still proper and desired (PTO/SB/09-12)
13. ☐ Certified Copy of Priority Document(s)  
(If foreign priority is claimed)
14. ☐ Other: \_\_\_\_\_
15. ☐ Other: \_\_\_\_\_

16. If a CONTINUING APPLICATION, check appropriate box, and supply the requisite information below and in a preliminary amendment:
- ☐ Continuation ☐ Divisional ☐ Continuation-in-part (CIP)

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Group / Art Unit: \_\_\_\_\_

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TOTAL AMOUNT OF PAYMENT (\$)**385.00**

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First Named Inventor

Grace Spears

Examiner Name

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28,452-A

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- 1.
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- The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge indicated fees and credit any over payments to:

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Large Entity Small Entity

Fee Fee Fee Fee Fee Description

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101 760 201 380 Utility filing fee

385.00

106 310 206 155 Design filing fee

107 480 207 240 Plant filing fee

108 760 208 380 Reissue filing fee

114 150 214 75 Provisional filing fee

SUBTOTAL (1) (\$)**385.00****2. EXTRA CLAIM FEES**Total Claims  -20\*\* ☐ X  Fee from below  Fee Paid   
Independent Claims  -3\*\* ☐ X  Fee from below  Fee Paid   
Multiple Dependent  Fee from below  Fee Paid 

\*\*or number previously paid, if greater; For Reissues, see below

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103 18 203 9 Claims in excess of 20

102 78 202 39 Independent claims in excess of 3

104 260 204 130 Multiple dependent claim, if not paid

109 78 209 39 \*\* Reissue independent claims over original patent

110 18 210 9 \*\* Reissue claims in excess of 20 and over original patent

SUBTOTAL (2) (\$)

**FEE CALCULATION (continued)****3. ADDITIONAL FEES**

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105 130 205 65 Surcharge - late filing fee or oath

127 50 227 25 Surcharge - late provisional filing fee or cover sheet.

139 130 139 130 Non-English specification

147 2,520 147 2,520 For filing a request for reexamination

112 920\* 112 920\* Requesting publication of SIR prior to Examiner action

113 1,840\* 113 1,840\* Requesting publication of SIR after Examiner action

115 110 215 55 Extension for reply within first month

116 380 216 190 Extension for reply within second month

117 870 217 435 Extension for reply within third month

118 1,360 218 680 Extension for reply within fourth month

128 1,850 228 925 Extension for reply within fifth month

119 300 219 150 Notice of Appeal

120 300 220 150 Filing a brief in support of an appeal

121 260 221 130 Request for oral hearing

138 1,510 138 1,510 Petition to institute a public use proceeding

140 110 240 55 Petition to revive - unavoidable

141 1,210 241 605 Petition to revive - unintentional

142 1,210 242 605 Utility issue fee (or reissue)

143 430 243 215 Design issue fee

144 580 244 290 Plant issue fee

122 130 122 130 Petitions to the Commissioner

123 50 123 50 Petitions related to provisional applications

126 240 126 240 Submission of Information Disclosure Stmt

581 40 581 40 Recording each patent assignment per property (times number of properties)

146 760 246 380 Filing a submission after final rejection (37 CFR § 1.129(a))

149 760 249 380 For each additional invention to be examined (37 CFR § 1.129(b))

Other fee (specify) \_\_\_\_\_

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